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DEMOCRATS WIN PRINCIPAL OFFICES

NELSON, DEMOCRAT, ELECTED
SUPERVISOR

Last Monday was township election, the Republicans and Democrats dividing the honors as far as number of elected candidates were concerned, but the latter, plans going to the majority (7) party.

Tony Nelson led his party with a majority of 245 over Morgan K. Paige, for supervisor. While his election seemed quite certain, it was hardly expected by his most enthusiastic supporters that he would garner quite so many votes. While there had been some criticism of Mr. Nelson during his present term as supervisor, yet in general he has given good satisfaction, and had a goodly number of supporters.

Republican opponent, is a splendid man but little known to the people. He is not a home body, and as owner, he was considerably handicapped, for most tax payers prefer to have administrative offices in their own homes.

With a fairly large Republican majority in the township, and only 98 straight Republican ballots cast out of a total vote of 1,000, it is apparent that there was a liberal splitting of tickets, most of which were for Mr. Nelson. The fact that the latter being a second term candidate for treasurer.

For Supervisor, Morgan K. Paige, Rep., 110
Anthony J. Nelson, Dem., 245
For Clerk, Clarence Brown, Rep., 199
C. O. McCullough, Dem., 260-167
For Treasurer, Harry Simpson, Dem., 277-170
For Highway Commissioner, Emil Niederer, Dem., 282-103
Reuben Rasmussen, Dem., 179
For Justice of the Peace, Ralph Hanson, Rep., 282-103
Thomas Cassidy, Dem., 179
Member Board of Health, Henry A. Bauman, Rep., 212
Geo. W. McCullough, Dem., 260-38
Overseer Highways, Dist. 1, Martin Maxwell, Rep., 209
Peter F. Jorgensen, Dem., 232-43
Overseer Highways, Dist. 2, Henry Stephan, Rep., 276
Overseer Highways, Dist. 3, Jesse Schooner, Rep., 278-101
John J. Handelman, Dem., 178
For Justice of the Peace, Harry Miller, Dem., 232-14
For Justice of the Peace, George Belski, Dem., 180
Shearn Neal, Rep., 220-125
Albert Galloway, Dem., 160

In Beaver Creek township the entire Republican ticket was elected, except for the offices of highway commissioner, in which Frank Milkin, Democrat, defeated the Republican ticket, and in which H. Mortenson, Democrat, won over Homer Allen, Republican, for the office of overseer of highways, district 25-4.

There was but one ticket in Federie and only a small vote was cast. Floyd A. Goshorn was re-elected as supervisor. The election was held at the home of Mrs. Goshorn, and the tickets were passed with great interest. The Republican ticket carried with 75 votes and 14 "no" votes. The one for the Public Safety Commission carried with 72 votes and 11 "no" votes.

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FUNERAL OF FORMER OLD RESIDENT HELD IN GRAYLING

With the passing of John Wesley Ford, a 14 year old son of the late John Wesley Ford, at the home of his son Hiram in Auburn on Thursday, April 1st, Grayling lost a young man of promise. Mr. Ford was a well known settler. Mr. Penn came to Grayling county in 1905, and secured a homestead in Fox River township. He resided until two years ago when his health became bad, and he went to make his home with his son.

The remains of the old gentleman were brought to Grayling on Saturday and taken to the home of his son Earl, at the funeral held Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock. The service was in charge of the Rev. J. Herman Baughn, who conducted the service with services at the home of the deceased. There was quite a number of old friends in attendance at the last rites.

CARL JENSEN APPROPRIATES

I wish through the columns of the Avonch to thank the voters of the township for the support they gave me at the election Monday. I will endeavor to do my best to fulfill the duties of the office of township treasurer to the best of my ability. Again thanking you, I am, Sincerely,
CARL JENSEN.

Statistical
A man's opinions depend largely on what he sees of statistics here—Duluth Herald.

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THANKS TO THE VOTERS

I wish through the columns of the Avonch to sincerely thank the voters of Grayling township for the splendid vote given me at last Monday's township election. It was much more than I could have hoped for, and I deeply appreciate the confidence that you have manifested in me, and sincerely trust that I may fulfill the duties of this important office in the future.

A hope that any property owners and others who may have business with the township, or who may be a supervisor to look after, that they do not hesitate to confer with me. Let me know your feeling about it.

ANTHONY J. NELSON
Supervisor Grayling Township

TINKERS WITH LOADED SHELL

Robert Gibbons, age 23 years old of Riverview, was painfully injured Monday forenoon when a three inch loaded shell which he was thinking exploded, exploding off his left hand and thumb of his left hand and to the second joints. Fragments of the shell and also splinters of wood from the chair on which he was sitting, struck the right part of his leg between the knee and thigh.

The shell had been found in the woods and Monday morning he decided to cut off the figures and other symbols on the shell. He was using a hammer and a nail. Fragments of the shell, the boy's mother and Charles Stephens, who were in the room at the time, saw the accident. The boy was in an adjoining room at the time.

The road between Riverview and Grayling is almost impassable owing to the mud and water. The road is in a box, and paid for the logs, so all is harmony again.

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M. MEM. CHURCH GIVES PAGEANT

The beautiful sacred pageant, "The Dawning" was presented Easter Sunday at the Memorial Church by the young people, and was a grand success and well attended.

An afternoon rendition was given, principally for the convenience of the younger children, and in the evening the congregation consisted largely of adults.

A special platform extending into the room had been constructed. The scenery was made to represent a stone wall, and the pillars at the corners were all in white, on top of which were small white crosses. In the room, above the wall was a scene of Calvary, in which were three crosses that showed only white lighted back, but very good and to town for legal advice found they were in a box, and paid for the logs, so all is harmony again.

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INVITING SUICIDE

Surgeon General Hugh S. Cumming, of the Public Health Service, who is one of the men in Washington who can be counted on for knowing what he is talking about, has issued a warning designed especially for the automobile tinker.

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Goldfish Always Best

According to a bureau of fisheries bulletin, because of its narrow neck, the so-called fish globe is not adapted to keeping goldfish in a comfortable and healthy state. Its small amount of water surface not permitting the process of absorption of air on a scale sufficient for the well-being of the fish. Another objectionable feature of the globe lies in its reflection and refraction of light rays, which tends to make the fish nervous and uneasy. An aquarium with straight sides is the most suitable for goldfish.

It should be of rectangular shape and of equal width at the top and bottom. The rectangular battery jar, which may be purchased in the 5-gallon size, will give good results. The depth of water should be about the same as the width of the aquarium, and the bottom should be covered with clean sand and gravel to the depth of one and one-half inches. Ordinary washed sand and pebbles are best for this purpose, as the more desirable aquarial plants draw most of their nourishment from the water and require merely an anchorage. In order to insure an abundant air supply, plants of high oxygenating powers should be selected for the aquarium. Cleanliness, good light, plants well distributed over the bottom, proper food in moderate quantity, prompt removal of sick fish, and avoidance of overstocking are the essential factors for the maintenance of a successful aquarium.

Smoke Proved There

Was Food in Homes

Smoking chimneys may be an awful nuisance in large cities, but there was a time in Japan when the sight of effusive chimneys so pleased a monarch of the country that he wrote a poem about it.

It was during a famine in the reign of Emperor Nintoku, according to "Peter Simple," in the London Post, and there was great suffering. Nintoku climbed to the balcony of his palace and saw a little smoke rising from the chimneys of the city. He at once ordered the people from taxation for three years. Later he climbed to his room again and saw smoke rising from almost all the chimneys. Whereupon he committed these lines:

On my roof
Climbing, when I look out
I see smoke rising.
The people's kitchens
Are in a flourishing condition.

Famous Bank's Nickname

The origin of "The Old Lady of Threadneedle street," the nickname of the Bank of England, never has been definitely established, according to the Kansas City Star, but the London Economist traces the appellation back as far as May 22, 1797, when William Pitt induced parliament to suspend cash payments at the bank. This moved Gilray to draw his famous cartoon, which shows an old lady, seated on a chest labeled "Bank of England," being savagely attacked by Pitt.

But it is argued Gilray may have made use of an old idea. As early as 1695, a medallion appeared, and still appears, on the bank's notes. It consists of a seated, draped figure, with the head uncovered, holding a sprig in one hand and a spear in the other, and throughout more than two hundred years it has remained substantially the same.

Old Language Revived

Creditable and hopeful though it may be for a revival of Hebrew culture, the establishment of a Hebrew university in Jerusalem does not begin to compare in importance with the fact that little children are again talking, playing their games and calling each other names in that language of the prophets, which had once been classed as one of the world's dead tongues. Zangwill said that the index of life is speech. This is true. A people that speaks is not dead. And in order that world Jewry might share in this renaissance, which Sophie Irene Loeb called "the greatest experiment of the century," there must be somewhere in this world a place where the Jew will have at least cultural predominance. And that place is Palestine—Pierre Van Paassen, in the Atlanta Constitution.

Many London Bridges

London bridge has never actually fallen down. Old London bridge, begun in 1170, was completed in 1209. It carried a row of timber houses, which were frequently burned down, but the main structure existed until the beginning of the Nineteenth century. The old bridge was the center for booksellers and other tradesmen. On it stood the chapel of St. Thomas of Canterbury, and a tower on which the heads of traitors were exposed to view. The present London bridge was begun in 1824 and completed in 1831. It is borne on five granite arches, is 928 feet high, 65 feet wide and 56 feet above the river.

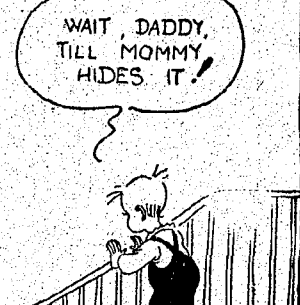
An Intelligent Interest

The rector of a country parish was showing one of his parishioners round his garden. He paused in front of the garden wall, into which had been built a huge boulder of granite, differing obviously from the red sandstone blocks that composed the rest of the wall. "That," he said, indicating the granite boulder, "came down in a glacier." The visitor considered the object with much attention and then said thoughtfully: "Would that be before the war?"—Manchester Guardian.

The campus Follies, a combination minstrel show and musical comedy was presented Monday and Tuesday night by members of the Men's Union, an organization of men students at the State Normal College at Ypsilanti, with the men taking both the male and female parts. About 51 took part. The first half of the show consisted of a minstrel show and the last half a musical comedy written by two of the students, Carl Smith of Dearborn, and Frederick L. Fuller of Ypsilanti, Mich.

SUCH IS LIFE

By Van Zelm

LEAVE IT 2
BUDDY

America's "Cretina Green"



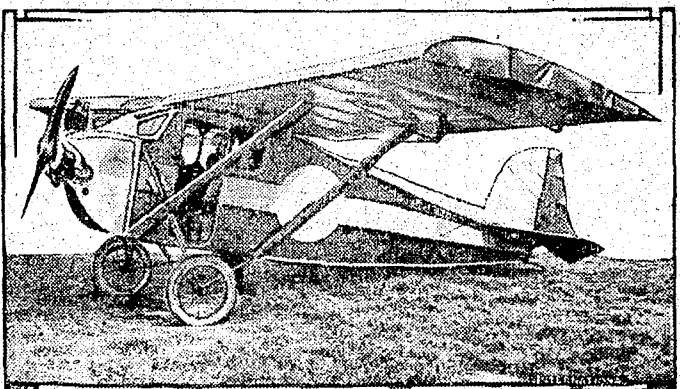
About 40,000 couples has Justice of the Peace Howard Kemp at Crown Point, Ind., started on the sea of matrimony since he took over the marrying office thirteen years ago. He is declared to have joined more couples in wedlock than any other man alive and earned the title of the "Marrying Squire." The tiny county seat is often referred to as the Cretina Green of America. Many prominent folks have patronized the Hoosier matrimonial office, including Rudolph Valentino on one of his ventures into the wedded state.

Society Finds New Thrills



Thrill seekers search for excitement even under the ocean's surface. Although divers in charge of salvage operations on the schooner Muriel, wrecked at Balboa Beach, Cal., recently, are having a hard time raising the derelict, they're doing a land-office business in thrills purveyed to society girls at the fashionable watering place near Los Angeles. Here's Miss Ninette Butterworth getting ready for her first close-up of the submarine world.

Inventor to "Flivverize" the Air



Elated by the success of his new airplane in its initial test flight, W. B. Klinger of Glendale, Cal., is confident that he will be able to "flivverize" the air with this monoplane. The plane's total weight is 600 pounds. It has a cruising speed of 80 miles an hour and can carry two passengers.

Leaving



BE SURE AND TAKE ALL YOUR BELONGINGS WITH YOU - LAST YEAR WE WERE PICKING UP YOUR STUFF MONTHS AFTER YOU HAD LEFT

RECORD OF VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting held on the fifth day of April, 1924.

Present: T. W. Hanson, president. Trustees: A. L. Roberts, Emil Giegling, Frank Sales, T. P. Peterson, George Sorenson and G. W. McCullough.

Minutes of last adjourned meeting read and approved.

Communication from village president, embodying appointments, read, as follows:

To the Honorable Common Council, Village of Grayling, City.

Gentlemen: Upon this particular occasion, the first meeting of the new village council, it gives me great pleasure to extend to you my co-workers a hearty welcome, and to assure you at all times my hearty co-operation with you in the direction of the affairs of the village.

I beg to submit for your approval, the following appointments for the ensuing year, or until their successors shall be chosen:

President pro tem—T. P. Peterson.

Standing Committees

Finance, Claims and Accounts: Emil Giegling, T. P. Peterson and G. W. McCullough.

Streets, Sidewalks, Bridges and Sewers: A. L. Roberts, Geo. Sorenson, Frank Sales.

Water Works, Lighting and Fire Department: T. P. Peterson, Emil Giegling, Geo. Sorenson.

Health and Public Safety: G. W. McCullough, A. L. Roberts and Frank Sales.

Printing, Licenses and Ordinances: Geo. Sorenson, Emil Giegling and Frank Sales.

Salaries: T. P. Peterson, G. W. McCullough and A. L. Roberts.

Industrial Council at large.

Night Marshal: Harry Reynolds.

Street Commissioner and Health Officer: Julius Nelson.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) T. W. Hanson, Village President.

Moved by Giegling and supported by Roberts that the communication from the president as to appointments of various committees be accepted.

Yea and Nay vote called: Yeas: Roberts, Giegling, Sales, Peterson, Sorenson and McCullough. Nays: None. Motion carried.

President appointed the following members of the common council to serve on the Board of Review: A. L. Roberts and G. W. McCullough.

Report of Finance Committee

To the president and members of the common council of the Village of Grayling:

Your committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts respectfully recommend that the accompanying bills be allowed as follows:

Claim Allowed

Grayling Elec. Co., Service

2-1 to 4-1, 1924.....258.00 288.00

O. P. Schumann, election

supplies and printing.....31.20 30.00

Mich. State Firemen's

Ass'n, membership.....5.00 5.00

Chas. Fehr, fire report.....28.00 28.00

Chas. Fehr, payroll ending

March 25.....18.80 18.80

Chas. Fehr, payroll ending

April 3.....20.75 20.75

371.75 370.55

T. P. Peterson, G. W. McCullough and Emil Giegling, committee.

Moved by Roberts and supported by Sales that the report of the Committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts be accepted, approved and adopted, and the clerk be authorized to issue warrants in payment of the several accounts as reported.

Yea and nay vote called: Yeas: Roberts, Giegling, Sales, Peterson, Sorenson and McCullough. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Report of Committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts read as follows:

To the president and members of the Common Council:

Your committee on Finance to whom was referred the matter of the report and recommendation of the amount necessary to be raised in the several funds for village expenses for the ensuing year, respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and investigation and do herewith respectfully report and recommend that the amounts herein stated below be authorized to be spread on the taxable property of the said village of Grayling for the year 1924 to wit:

General Fund—1 per cent.

Highway Fund—none.

Sewer Fund—none.

Emil Giegling, T. P. Peterson, G. W. McCullough, committee.

Moved by Roberts and supported by Giegling that the report of the committee of Finance be accepted, approved and adopted. Yea and nay vote called: Yeas: Roberts, Giegling, Sales, Peterson, Sorenson and McCullough. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Report of Committee on Salaries read, as follows:

To the president and members of the Common Council:

Your committee on Salaries to whom was referred the matter of salaries to be recommended to be paid from the General Fund for the ensuing year do herewith respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and recommend herewith as follows:

Village President, \$5.00 per meeting.

Council members, \$3.00 per meeting.

Village Marshal, \$300.00 per annum.

Street Commissioner, 45c per hour actual time.

Team Labor, (Man and Team), 70c

per hour, actual time. Health Officer, \$300.00 per annum. Fire Chief, \$100.00 per annum. Clerk, \$300.00 per annum. Assessor, \$100.00 per annum.

Fire department, where water is turned on

Chief, \$5.00 per call.

Firemen, \$3.00 per call.

Fire Department, False Alarm

Chief, \$2.00 per call.

Firemen, \$1.00 per call.

We also recommend that the Village Clerk be instructed to advise the Fire Companies to select their chief by election, such election to be ratified by this council, at next regular meeting.

A. L. Roberts, T. P. Peterson, G. W. McCullough, committee.

Moved by Giegling and supported by McCullough that the report of committee on Salaries be accepted, approved and adopted. Yea and Nay vote called: Yeas: Roberts, Giegling, Sales, Peterson, Sorenson and McCullough. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Thereupon the board adjourned. T. W. HANSON, Village President. J. CHRIS JENSON, Village Clerk.

LEST WE FORGET

Spring is coming some time, the sun is getting stronger. Now is the time to let it into our houses, also the time to get the old germs out. Soap and water is the best disinfectant with fresh air. Few germs can withstand these. Let us go deep into the corners now. Dust and dirt cover germs. Get them to the light and they will die.

While we are cleaning don't forget that the salvage shop will welcome all sorts of shoes and overshoes. The overshoes are many of them leaking now and of no use to keep the feet dry but if sent to the Health Center they can be stored in the shop for fall when they will serve to keep some one warm and away from the dry winter snow though they do not protect from water. You better pay the shoe man than the doctor. Keep the children's feet dry. See that they are dry when they come in. Sitting in wet clothes causes the child to lose his resistance to disease and often develops a cold or other illness.

There are many books in the Health Center now on home nursing. They were sent from the State Library for the class but the class is about finished with them now and the rest of the people who wish to use them are welcome to do so. One in particular that every woman or man interested in the welfare of his community will enjoy reading is Richard Morse's "Fear God in Your Own Village." It is really funny as well as true—the experiences related by Mr. Morse. It is easy print and can be read in a very short time, but you won't forget it so shortly.

The Health Center is open in the afternoons and the nurse will be working there much of the time this month.

The Home Hygiene class is meeting from now on. The class will take their examinations this month.

The Frederic class will have demonstration classes this week taking all afternoon while school is out so the adults and high school girls can all attend at one time. The adult class will try to complete their work this month.

B. OF T. MEMBERS ENJOY SMOK-ER

About 35 members of the Board of Trade gathered at the Board of Trade room Tuesday night to enjoy an evening of pleasure. There was card playing, pool and billiards, visiting and a general go-as-you-please good time.

At 10:00 o'clock a brief business meeting was held and some of the problems of the Board of Trade and of the community were discussed. The Board intends to resume its noon-day luncheons—one or more each month. Also the regular monthly meetings will be resumed. These are scheduled to be held on the third Tuesday evening of each month.

The prospects of highway construction for this season that might be of interest to Grayling people, was reviewed by Marius Hanson. And the plans of the village council and other local problems were talked of by Mayor T. Hanson. And Fred Welsh voiced an opinion that more should be done toward the beautifying of our home property by planting trees and shrubbery. And other pertinent matters were discussed.

The Board of Grayling is trying to do something for Grayling, and at the same time there are some who are trying to hinder and embarrass their progress. It is hoped that more people will join in with the Board and become familiar with the actual workings of this body of men, and then they, we are sure, will feel more like helping instead of criticizing the efforts of the Board.

Although Grayling is a small city, still that is no reason for some of the small-town talk and actions that is attributed to some of our citizens. Let's push. If we can't push, let's pull. If we can't pull, let's stand aside and let some one else do it.

At the annual town meeting held Monday at the town hall, the appropriations for the annual budget were raised. One mill tax was voted for the contingent fund. No money was raised in any of the other funds. Thus the township tax will be low next December. This will be glad news to the tax payers. Now if the county and state can trim out the unnecessary, taxes in general should be low. Let's not leave all the economizing to President Coolidge. And the village taxes too, says Mayor T. Hanson, will be about half of what they were last year.

Joe Bush has had two wives one with long hair and one with a bob. He says he can't see much difference, as one could argue about as well as the other.

MISS ODETTE MENOS



Miss Odette Menos, typical beauty of Porto Rico, who is in the national capital visiting her uncle, Hannibal Price, the minister from this isle.

Carey Still Plays Fast Ball



The champion Pirates possess one of the speediest players in the National league in the person of Max Carey, veteran center fielder. Carey has been with Pittsburgh for several years and seems to improve with age.

DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

"Fox, Lion, and Dog" Because the validity of the election of Pope Boniface VIII (1294-1303) was questioned he was said to have come in "like a fox." Because papacy to him meant universal dominion, he went mad "like a dog" before his death, the last part of the epitaph was spoken of him immediately after his death. (© 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

This Week's Question

Why is it that when a man meets a woman for whom he thinks nothing is good enough, he eventually asks her to have him?—Buffalo Express.

Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. Bailey, Co. Agricultural Agent.



On nearly every Crawford county farm and garden use of Acid Phosphate would increase yields.

4 sacks per acre for potatoes.
3 sacks per acre for alfalfa, with lime
3 sacks per acre for corn, with stable manure
2 sacks per acre for oats, on land made rich last year for corn or potatoes
125 pounds per sack. \$26.40 per ton at car door. Half ton same rate. Single sacks at door \$1.75. Single sacks later, \$2.00. Orders for a carload are being assembled among villagers and farmers. Only that which is ordered will be sent for. See your County Agent.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

Well, by not being in the League of Nations this month we certainly missed a fine fight.

The Bolsheviks have increased the military item in their budget nearly a hundred million for this year. Evidently the communists are in favor of pacifism only outside of Russia.

We might forgive Brazil for breaking up the League meeting if she would only put the price of coffee back where it belongs.

It is said that all of the lemons obtainable in Florida do not grow on trees.

Before we make up our minds just how efficient Mussolini is as a dictator we would like to see him tried out on prohibition enforcement.

Teakwood is so durable that beams made of it 2,000 years ago are said to be still strong. Doubtless that is why they never build political platforms out of teakwood.

Chicago scientists have succeeded in producing a race of one-eyed fish. But they won't be popular with fishermen as it will be twice as hard for them to see the bait.

American football is now being introduced into Russia and it ought to go good with all the long hair over there.

If the League of Nations is going to continue to act up so, it might be a good idea to move it to Mexico.

Sixty million bushels of oysters have been planted along the shores of Florida. Maybe they are afraid of running out of shells for their shell games.

The way the League of Nations tries to keep the naughty little boys out of its Council would lead one to think that the Council has some kind of a jam closet.

Pat Harrison says that President Wilson abolished secret diplomacy during his term, but of course, having 'ol' House, he didn't need it.

Leadfield, the new mining boom town in Nevada sells water for ten cents a gallon and prohibits the use of it for bathing. What a paradise this town would be for the small boys.

Why worry so much about disarmament when we have Mr. Edward Bok's size peace plan to fall back on?

Senators may rage as they will about the Locarno situation and the disarmament problems, but most of the public will continue to be more interested in speculating on how many home runs Babe Ruth is liable to get this summer.

It's a hard life for the newspaper reader. We don't any more get through with all the Senate investigation than we have to read a lot of wet and dry debate.

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